

MAN'S RIGHTS.

As well as a man's right to exist be denied, as his right to "move and have his being" in the manner pointed out by the laws of his organization. If it is obvious from his physical structure that he was destined to walk erect, who may deny his right to do so? If it is equally clear, from his mental organization, that he has numerous natural wants and desires which demand gratification, and that his Creator has spread around him the means of indulgence, who can deny him this means of happiness? Not man, surely.

There is no general law of nature which opposes the happiness of man. On the contrary, his constitution is in complete harmony with the laws of matter; and these may be rendered subservient to his advancement and happiness. Life, then, is bestowed by the Giver of all good for the purpose of happiness. If so, to live and be happy is our right.

But having a right to happiness, man has also a right to employ the means for its accomplishment. The right to be happy would be vain without the means of becoming so. Let no one fear that dangerous conclusions may be drawn from these premises. We are not contending for the abuse, but for the enlightened gratification of man's natural desires; not justifying violence to the laws of the Creator, but struggling for conformity to them. We are seeking to establish the divine origin of human rights, and not the divine origin of human transgressions. That any human being who has not forfeited his liberty by his crimes, has a right to be free—and that whosoever forcibly withholds liberty from an innocent man, robs him of his right and violates the Moral Law, are truths which no man would dispute or doubt, if custom had not obscured our perceptions, or if wickedness did not prompt us to close our eyes.

The whole system of one man's right to another is essentially and radically bad. Injustice and oppression are its fundamental principles. Whatever lenity may be requisite in speaking of the agent, none should be shown and none should be expressed for the act. We do not affirm or imagine that every man that robs another of his liberty, is therefore a wicked man; but if not, it is upon the score of ignorance. If he is exempt from the guilt of violating the Moral Law, it is only because he does not perceive what it requires. Let us leave the heart of the individual to him who knoweth the heart—of his actions we may speak, and we should speak in the language of reprobation, disgust and abhorrence. Such men apparently do not believe in the moral government of the world, or they do not know the manner in which it is administered; if they did, they would acknowledge that those who sow the wind have no right to complain when they reap the whirlwind.

The permanence of slavery in the Southern states is impossible, because it is a system of gross injustice, cruelty and oppression; and no such social fabric can permanently endure. Its fruits have long been poisonous and bitter, and the planters are suffering the penalty of having reaped them. They ought, however, to thank the justice and firmness of the President for his proclamation of freedom to the slaves, which has so greatly mitigated their punishment; for they may rest assured that the annoyances now suffered are light and transient compared with the calamities which would have befallen them had slavery been prolonged until it had wrought out its own termination. If our premises be correct, the slaves would have had a divine right to have wrought out their own freedom, even to the extent of a servile insurrection. But we are thankful that the slaveholders, themselves, have averted, by their own crimes, the calamities which would have befallen, not only themselves, but their wives and children, if they had left slavery to work out its own termination.

It is quite evident that our slave system will be abolished, and that its supporters will hereafter be regarded with the same public feelings, as he who was an advocate of the slave trade is now. The time will come when the record, "this man opposed the abolition of slavery," will occasion a great deduction from the public estimate of worth of character. When slavery is abolished, and but for the page of history, forgotten, that page will make a wide difference between those who aided the abolition and those who obstructed it. The one will be ranked amongst the philanthropists that are departed, and the other amongst those who have employed their little day in inflicting misery upon mankind.

Stowe Hollow.

U. S. EXCISE TAXES. Collector's Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Annual Taxes of the 3d Collection District of Vermont, as assessed upon incomes, licenses, carriages, plate, &c., under the provisions of the law of Congress, approved July 1st, 1862, and the amendments thereto, have become due and payable; and I will attend myself or by deputy at the following times and places to receive the same, viz:

At my office in Burlington, on Monday, Nov. 30th; Tuesday, Dec. 1st, and Wednesday, Dec. 2d, 1863.

At S. Ward's Hotel, Milton, Tuesday, Dec. 3. At Ransom's Hotel, Richmond, Friday, Dec. 4. At the Postoffice House, Jericho, Saturday, December 5th.

FRANKLIN COUNTY. At the American Hotel, St. Albans, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Dec. 8, 9 and 10, 1863. At Randall's Hotel, Fairfax, Friday, Dec. 11th. At Isham's Hotel, Bakersfield, Tuesday, Dec. 15th.

At Thompson's Hotel, East Berkshire, Wednesday, Dec. 16th. At Wright's Hotel, Sheldon, Thursday, December 17th.

At H. C. Adams' Office, East Alburgh, Saturday, Dec. 19, 1863. At Rice's Hotel, South Hero, Tuesday, Dec. 22. At Joel Allen's House, North Hero, Wednesday, Dec. 23d.

ESSEX COUNTY. At the West Concord House, West Concord, on Tuesday, Jan. 5, 1864. At Morris Wood's Hotel, Guildhall, on Thursday, Jan. 7.

At the Island Pond House, Island Pond, Saturday, Jan. 9. At Cutting's Hotel, Greensboro, Monday, Jan. 11th, 1864.

At the Strasburg House, Strasburg, on Wednesday, Jan. 13th. At Flint's Hotel, Troy, Thursday, Jan. 14th. At Derby Centre Hotel, Derby, Friday, Jan. 15. At the Barton House, Barton, Monday, Jan. 11.

LAMON COUNTY. At Seeger's Hotel, Cambridge, Tuesday, January 19, 1864. At Daniels' Hotel, Johnson, Wednesday, Jan. 20th.

At the American House, Hyde Park, Thursday, Jan. 21. At the Morrisville House, Morrisville, Friday, Jan. 22d. At the Mansfield House, Stowe, Saturday, Jan. 23d.

By the provisions of the Excise Laws, all persons neglecting to pay said taxes within the time above specified, must pay 10 per cent additional upon the amount thereof. Taxes on Monthly Returns not previously paid will be received at the above stated times and places.

Any person can remit his tax by another as his receipts will be returned. Bills of banks outside the state will not be received. United States currency preferred.

CARLOS BAXTER, Collector of Third Collection District, Vermont. Burlington, Nov. 18, 1863.

THESE MACHINES WERE AWARDED THE HIGHEST PREMIUMS OVER ALL COMPETITORS.

At the following State Fairs of 1863. For the best Family Sewing Machine, the best Manufacturing Machine, and the best machine work.

New York. First Premium for Family Machine. First Premium for Double Thread Machine. First Premium for Machine Work.

Indiana. First Premium for Machine for all purposes. First Premium for Machine Work.

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Illinois. First Premium for Machine for all purposes. First Premium for Machine Work.

Iowa. First Premium for Family Machine. First Premium for Manufacturing Machine. First Premium for Machine Work.

Kentucky. First Premium for Machine for all purposes. First Premium for Machine Work.

Michigan. First Premium for Family Machine. First Premium for Manufacturing Machine. First Premium for Machine Work.

Pennsylvania. First Premium for Manufacturing Machine. First Premium for beautiful Machine work.

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AND AT THE FOLLOWING COUNTY FAIRS: Chittenden Co. (Vt.) First premium for family machine. First premium for manufacturing machine. First premium for machine work.

DOORS, SASH & BLINDS! Moscow Works, Stowe, Vt.

The place to get your doors, sash and blinds, at the Moscow Works, Stowe, Vt.

The undersigned having recently purchased a complete set of H. B. Smith's improved machinery, universally acknowledged the best in use for the manufacture of doors, sash, blinds, window frames, door frames, &c., &c. And having secured the services of O. A. Edgerton, a workman of several years experience in the business, would say to the inhabitants of Lamoille County and vicinity that I am fully prepared to execute all kinds of work connected with my business in a good thorough and workmanlike manner.

I am prepared to furnish all kinds of Mouldings for out and inside finish.

Cylinder and Rotary Planing done in a superior manner, and at a low rate. Saving, Jointing, Matching, Tenoning and Grooving, done at all times on short notice.

L. B. SMITH. Stowe, Jan. 1, 1863.

BARNES & JOHNSON, MANUFACTURERS AND DEALERS IN HARNESSSES, TRUNKS, VALISES, CARPET BAGS, BLANKETS, WHIPS, &c.

One door south of Montpelier Hotel. HENRY BARNES, (Successor to H. Y. Barnes & Son.) DEALER IN ALL KINDS OF LEATHER, Saddlery Hardware, Carriage Trimmings, and Shoe Findings, one door south of Montpelier Hotel, State Street, Montpelier, Vt. 44

FIRST ARRIVAL! OF THE SEASON! The subscriber has just returned from market and has received a Choice Selection! of New Goods!

adapted to the season, which he will sell at small advance, for cash, produce, or approve credit, at the old

Cheap Store, At Morristown Corners. Call soon, before they are gone. This is the Place! To buy goods cheap.

S. M. PENNOCK. Morristown, Sept. 23, 1863.

CASSIMERE, doeskins, grey cloth, prints and delaines, at PENNOCK'S.

LADIES' and Misses Balmoral and gaiter boots at PENNOCK'S.

HANSON & WEST's boots, cheap as the cheapest at PENNOCK'S.

A LARGE stock of ready made clothing for sale cheap at PENNOCK'S.

A FINE assortment of Ladies Cloaks, Circulars and Shawls. Sure to please as to style, quality and price, at PENNOCK'S.

SUBSTITUTING, Flannels, Under Shirts and Drawers at low rates, at PENNOCK'S.

LADIES balmoral skirts, nubias, and honey comb hoods, at PENNOCK'S.

GENTS and boys' hats and caps, at PENNOCK'S.

A GOOD STOCK of West India Goods and family groceries, low, at PENNOCK'S.

H BAGGING, the cheapest, at PENNOCK'S.

THE highest price paid for butter, hops and wool, at PENNOCK'S.

OCTOBER, 1863! ATKINS & WASHBURN, take pleasure in announcing that they still continue business at the old stand so long occupied by M. W. Terrill, at Cady's Falls, and that they have received an assortment of NEW GOODS!

which they will be pleased to show to their friends and the public generally.

STOWE CENTER. FALL CAMPAIGN! L. D. Webster Would say to the public that his recent efforts to get rid of what little money he had to spend, has resulted in the purchase of a Splendid Lot of just such things as are wanted in every family, such as Dry Goods, READY-MADE CLOTHING, Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Groceries, &c., &c.

He sells for cash, and can afford to sell cheap, though he does not mean to cheat himself out of a living profit. We better's is a Good Place to Trade! Wanted. 500 CORDS BARK, AT THE TANNERY, STOWE, VT. For which \$5 Per Cord, Cash! will be paid on delivery, if delivered before the 1st of January next.

T. F. BARNES, Druggist!

AND DEALER IN PATENT MEDICINES, HOUSE AND CARRIAGE PAINTS!

Oils, Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, SPONGES, TOOTH, NAIL, VARNISH, PAINT, AND WHITE WASH BRUSHES;

Artists' Tools Tube Paint, SYRINGES, TRUSSES, SUPPORTERS, KEROSENE OIL, Perfumery, Nursing Bottles, Earthen Bed Pans.

PICTURE GLASS, Soaps, Toilet Articles, FANCY GOODS, And all articles usually kept by Druggists; STOWE, VT.

DRAFT. I have received a NEW AND DESIRABLE lot of STOVES FISH FLOUR!

upon which I have put marks that will (I believe) enable me to draw material from the pockets of my customers.

Those in want of Pumps or Lead Pipe, can now buy of me at FACTORY PRICES, with the addition of freight.

R. S. PAGE. Hyde Park, July 30, 1863.

N. S. COLBY. WOULD respectfully inform the people of Lamoille County and vicinity that he is prepared to furnish RHEUMATIC LINIMENT

—AND— PAIN EXTERMINATOR, to all who may want them. These Medicines have been tried in almost every family in the State, and are too well known to need comment.

The following will show how they are regarded by the soldier: CAMP DAVIS, July 14th, 1863. We, the undersigned, of the 9th Regt. Vt. Vols., knowing that the Medicines put up by N. S. Colby are good for what they are recommended, would respectfully request that he may have the privilege of selling them in this Camp.

A. H. Slayton, Capt. Co. H. G. H. Guyer, 1st Lt. C. A. Loveland, 2d "

All orders should be addressed to N. S. Colby, Stowe, Vt. For sale at Barnes Drug Store. 22-1

STOWE FURNITURE SHOP! H. T. STRAW. Keeps constantly on hand, and makes to order, all kinds of Furniture, such as Chairs, Tables, Bedsteads, Bureaus, &c.

Chamber Sets, got up in good style, and sold at as low a price as to times will admit of.

READY-MADE COFFINS, constantly on hand, and furnished at reasonable rates.

RAND'S PATENT Spring Bed, THE CHEAPEST

Spring Bed in the market, on hand and furnished to order. In short if

Anything in the Line of Furniture is wanted, it can be had at this shop, at as REASONABLE RATES, as anywhere in the State.

Shop formerly occupied by J. & H. T. Straw, Stowe, Vermont. 22-1

GROVER & BAKER Sewing MACHINE Agency, At the Newsdealer Office, HYDE PARK, VT.

ALL DEBTS Due the subscriber on note or book account must be settled immediately, as he is closing up business, preparatory to going to New Orleans. S. B. CLARK. Morrisville, November 19th, 1863. 62

Walton's Register for 1864! at Stowe Book Store.

By order of the Court, S. B. PIKE, Register.

Medicines Prepared as they should be. DRUG AND MEDICINE DEPOT, C. J. & W. C. SHELDON, STOWE, VT.

Where can be found a full and complete assortment of Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals, Dye Stuffs, PERFUMERY, TRUSSES, SUPPORTERS, SHOULDER BRACES, BREAST PUMPS.

Paints, Oils, Varnishes, BRUSHES, TUBE PAINTS. Also a good assortment of W. L. Goods, Groceries, Flour, Pork, Lard, Fish, Kerosene Oil Can Fruit.

Pickles, Ketchup, Tea and Tobacco. Yankee Notions, &c.

The above goods were bought for cash and selected with great care, and are warranted pure. Thanking the people of Lamoille County and vicinity for their patronage, for the past ten years, we would say to all wishing to purchase any article in our line of trade, to please give us a call, and examine our stock and prices previous to buying elsewhere. Terms Cash, or Gift edged Paper.

C. J. SHELDON. WILL. C. SHELDON. Stowe, June 15, 1863. 30

WATCHES & WATCH REPAIRING. M. C. Parkinson, WETHERBY, VT., Sells Watches, Jewelry, Silver and Plated Ware, Spectacles, POCKET CUTLERY, PERFUMERY, and a general assortment of FANCY GOODS, And attends to Watch Repairing.

Engraving, and Jewelry Jobbing, promptly, and AS IT SHOULD BE.

Having worked at the business nearly fifteen years, and having had superior advantages to become thoroughly acquainted with my business as a Watch Repairer, I think I am prepared to do all work entrusted to me, in a manner satisfactory to my customers. Satisfaction guaranteed or no pay exacted.

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Orders solicited for any kind of printing paper. All sizes and qualities of wrapping paper. Every variety of school books. Every new book published. Pens, pencils and envelopes. Printing jobs, jobs of binding and rebinding, printing ink, &c. Cash paid for rags.

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This honest, standard old COUGH REMEDY, made in Vermont, has been used with entire success for thirty-three years. It is warranted as usual for Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Croup, Asthma, and all Diseases of the Chest and Lungs.

And all diseases tending to CONSUMPTION. We have testimonials from many of the best physicians and gentlemen of standing, among whom we mention the Hon. Paul Hilditch, Lieut. Governor of Vermont; Hon. Bates Turner, late Judge of the Supreme Court of Vermont; Dr. J. B. Woodward, Brigade Surgeon U. S. Army.

JOHN F. HENRY & CO., Proprietors. (Successors to N. H. Downs.) Waterbury, Vt., and 303 St. Paul St., Montreal, C. E.

Pride 25 cts., 50 cts., and \$1 per Bottle. Sold by all dealers in Medicines. 44m6

Picture Frames. If you want your pictures or photographs FRAMED AS THEY SHOULD BE! and at a low price.

GO TO McDONALD'S. Picture Glass. Gilt and Reswood Mouldings, Ready-Made Coffins, Burial Caskets, Coffin Trimmings.

ALL AT McDONALD'S. Head of State Street, Montpelier; entrance thro' J. C. Emery's Furniture store. 44

S. FREEMAN, (Successor to T. C. Phinney.) DEALER IN In Watches and Jewelry, Silver and plated ware, Fancy Goods, Cutlery, Perfumery, Fishing Tackle, and everything pertaining to a first class Jewelry and Fancy Goods Store. Grover & Baker

SEWING MACHINES. Justly acknowledged to be the best family sewing machine now in use, as its rapid sale most truly proves.

THE UNIVERSAL HEMMER, adapted to all kinds of sewing machines, and turning a hem of any width desired. Machine thread and silk of the best quality. Watch Repairing and Engraving, attended to promptly and in the best manner. Corner of Main and State Streets. Montpelier, Sep. 12, 1863. 12

AUGUSTUS THOMAS' ESTATE. STATE OF VERMONT. In Probate Court held at Lamoille District, ss: I, the Probate Officer of said County, do hereby certify that on the 21st day of Dec. A. D. 1863, Thomas Potter, administrator on the estate of Augustus Thomas, late of Belvidere, in said district deceased, presents his administration account for settlement; Whereupon, it is ordered that the same be referred to the 11th day of Jan. A. D. 1864 at the Probate Office in Johnson, and that notice thereof be given to all persons concerned by publication in the Lamoille Newsdealer, published at Hyde Park, in said district, that they may appear at said time and place, and if they see cause, object thereto.

By order of the Court, S. B. PIKE, Register.

COSTAR'S VERMIN EXTERMINATORS

For Rats, Mice, moaches, Ants, Bed Bugs, Moths in Furs, Woolens, &c., Insects on Plants, Fowls, Animals, &c.

Put up in 25c, 50c, and \$1.00 boxes, bottles and Flasks, \$5 and \$10 sizes for Hotels, Institutions &c.

"Only infallible remedies known." "Free from poisons." "Not dangerous to the human family." "Bats come out of their holes to die."

Sold Wholesale in all large cities. Sold by Druggists and Retailers everywhere. Beware of all worthless imitations. See that "Costar's" name is on each bottle, box and flask, before you buy. Address: HENRY E. COSTAR, Principal Depot 482 Broadway, N. Y. Sold by T. F. BARNES, Stowe, Vt. 12m5m

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS! Office Chairs, Cane Seat Chairs, Wood Seat Chairs, Secretaries, Mattresses, Feather, Carpets, Oil Cloths, Mirrors, Window Shades, and Burial Caskets.

Discounts made to those coming from a distance. J. V. BABCOCK & CO., Main St., Montpelier, Vt. Agent for the Vt. Bible Society. 12y1

JOHNSON CARRIAGE SHOP! C. L. LEWIS, MANUFACTURER Carriages and Sleighs, and does Repairing of all kinds, in a Satisfactory manner. He also has

AN ENGINE LATHE, and does all kinds of IRON TURNING to order

People wishing this kind of work can have it attended to, without the expense of sending to a distance. Johnson, July 16th, 1863. 34y1

Johnson Woolen Factory! DOW & PEARL, MANUFACTURERS OF Cassimere, Doeskins, Beaver Cloths, and Wool Flannels.

The following is a list of prices per yard for manufacturing: Grey cassimere, 25cts; full color Cassimere, 35cts; White Flannel, 20 cts; grey Doeskins, 33 cts; mix Doeskin, 37 cts; full color Doeskin, 41 cts; Grey Flannel, 25 cts; red Flannel, 30 cts.

The above prices include the Government tax. Cloth exchanged for wool on reasonable terms. Also particular attention given to custom carding, and cloth dressing. Johnson, July 11th, 1863. 34

PIANOS!

I AM SOLE AGENT for Steinway & Sons, and Chickering's Pianos, for this vicinity, and furnish from all manufacturers, ALWAYS as low, and frequently MUCH LOWER than at their own advertised prices.

Also a splendid assortment of Melodeons & Harmoniums, from the celebrated manufactory of J. Estey, Brattleboro. I am agent also for

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We have not advanced a dollar, on the price of Melodeons and Harmoniums. Every instrument bought of us, warranted to suit the purchaser.

Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Tamborines, Flutes, Piccolos, Flageolles, Flies, Accordions, Strings, Bows, and all kinds of musical goods. In great variety.

Our stock of SHEET MUSIC, and music books, is the largest North of the cities, comprising that of both stores formerly kept here, with large additions. All orders by mail or otherwise promptly filled. The usual discount made to teachers and the trade. H. L. STORY. Burlington, Aug. 1865. 38

Christmas and NEW YEARS.

A beautiful and appropriate article for a Holiday gift, to Old or Young, is The Craig Microscope.

Magnifies 100 diameters or 10,000 times.

Although of a high magnifying power, this Microscope is so simple that a child can use it—or it requires no focal adjustment; therefore it neither fatigues the eye, nor wears the patience like other microscopes.

The Microscope tells me that every forest, and in the flowers of every garden, and in waters of every rivulet, there are worlds teeming with life, and numberless as the grains of the firmament.

Parents who wish to instruct and benefit their children as well as interest and amuse them, will here find the means of doing so.

The popularity of this instrument is constantly on the increase. Its perfectness as a microscope, its power and its cheapness, are certainly wonderful.